

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of: Jian Qin, et al..

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For: **ABSORBENT MATERIALS AND ABSORBENT ARTICLES  
INCORPORATING SUCH ABSORBENT MATERIALS**

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**RESPONSE TO 2/21/2007 OFFICE ACTION**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action delivered February 21, 2007, Applicants hereby submit the following Amendments and remarks to the specification. **If any fees for this response are required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge them to Deposit Account No. 502190.**

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 11 of this paper.